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PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALAR, 11 & 12, Clements Lane, Lombard Street, E. G. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GOTH, Ludgate Circus, E.C. HAYES HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. SAMUEL DRAGON & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street.

ARTS AND EUROPE.—AMERSON PRINCE & Co., 36, Rue Lafayette, Paris. NEW YORK.—ANDREW WIND, 21, Park Row.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally.—BRAS & BLACK, San Francisco.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GOTH, Melbourne and Sydney.

OCEAN.—W. M. SMITH & Co., THE APOTHECARIES Co., Colombo.

SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.—SAYLE & Co., Singapore. C. HEINRICH & Co., Manila.

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Banks.

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily deposits.
- 5.—Each depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked "On Hongkong Savings Bank Business" is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
JOHN WALTER,
Acting Chief Manager.
Hongkong, June 7, 1885. 754

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up Capital, \$7,500,000
Reserve Fund, \$4,500,000
Reserve for Equalization, \$200,000
Of Dividends, \$200,000
Reserve Liability of Profits, \$7,500,000
FEBRUARY, 1886.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.
Chairman—A. McIVER, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—M. GROVE, Esq.
Hon. J. BELL INNES, Esq.
O. D. BORNEMAN, Esq.
W. F. D. BARNES, Esq.
H. L. DAINVILLE, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.
Hongkong—THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.
Acting Chief Manager—JOHN WALTER, Esq.
Shanghai—E. W. CAMERON, Esq.
LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANK.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.
ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
On Fixed Deposits:
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " "
" 12 " 5 " " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial cities in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.
Goods from Hongkong, and all other ports, may be landed into the Godowns of the Kowloon Park & Godowns Co., and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 5th Proximo will be subject to rent.
All Claims must reach us before 4 p.m. of the 9th Proximo, or they will not be recognized.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
MELBOERS & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, October 28, 1886. 2068

Notices to Consignees.

NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI.

THE Steamship *Stella*, Captain E. F. WARKES, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Kowloon Park & Godowns Co., and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 5th Proximo will be subject to rent.
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Intimations.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONDS FOR THE YEAR 1885.

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to send in their Contributions of Profit for the year ending 31st December last, in Order that the DISTRIBUTION of the PROFITS reserved for Contributions may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the THIRTIETH DAY OF NOVEMBER NEXT, will be adjusted by the Company, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. Hongkong, October 15, 1886. 1099

DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP. MODERATE FEES.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG, Surgeon-Dentist.

(FORMERLY ATTENDED BY AND LATELY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROGERS.)
The urgent request of his European and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. ROGERS, No. 2, DUDDELL STREET.

CONSULTATION FREE.

Discount to missionaries and families. Sole Address, 2, DUDDELL STREET. (Next to the New Oriental Bank.) Hongkong, January 12, 1885. 68

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF, GODOWN AND CARGO-BEAT COMPANY.

THE Company will receive STEAMERS and SAILING VESSELS alongside their Wharves at Kowloon, and Land, Re-shipping, and/or Store GENERAL CARGOES, SILK, OPIUM, COTTON, GRAIN or MERCHANDISE in First-Class Granite Godowns at Cheap Rates. Also Coals in specially constructed Sheds. For the convenience of Commanders and Storekeepers the Company's Launches will convey to and from those interested, FREE OF CHARGE, starting from the Pedder's Wharf every hour from 6 a.m. to 5 p.m., and from the Wharf at Kowloon at the half-hour.

For further Particulars, apply to W. KERFOOT HUGHES, Agent, Pedder's Street. Hongkong, February 17, 1886. 331

GRIFFITH'S NEW VIEWS OF HONGKONG.

AND NOW READY, 1, DUDDELL STREET.

GRIFFITH & Co., MANUFACTURERS OF THE

LONDON PATENT WATER.

1, DUDDELL STREET.

Continue to Supply:

SODA WATER, LEMONADE, TONIC, " GINGERALE, Sarsaparilla, " RASPBERRYADE, Sarsaparilla, " &c., &c., &c. At the same Moderate Charges.

Hongkong, June 9, 1885. 957

COMPANIA TRASATLANTICA, (LATE A. LOPEZ & Co.)

SPANISH ROYAL MAIL.

ONE of their First Class STEAMERS will leave MANILA on the 1st of every month for LIVERPOOL, calling at SINGAPORE, ADEEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BARCELONA, VALENCIA, CARTAGENA, CADIZ, VIGO and CORUNNA.

Through Bills of Lading granted in Hongkong to the STRAITS PORTS ONLY. Cargo to be transhipped at SINGAPORE. For Rates of Freight and other information, apply to REMEDIOS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, October 15, 1886. 1973

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONDS FOR THE YEAR 1885.

SHAREHOLDERS are hereby requested to send in their Contributions of Profit for the year ending 31st December last, in Order that the PROPORTION of PROFIT for that year to be Paid as BONUS to CONTRIBUTORS may be arranged. Returns not sent in before the 30th November next, will be made up by the Company, and no subsequent Claims or Alterations will be allowed.

By Order of the Directors, JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary. Hongkong, October 1, 1886. 1874

NOTICE.

A LADY of great experience in the Management of Children wishes to take entire charge (or otherwise) of a little child, who could be brought up with her own, aged ten. Healthy country home with a dozen miles out of London. Educational advantages, especially for Music. Parents living abroad would be assured that their little one would meet with every care and sympathy.

References kindly permitted to the Rev. Storr Turner, 11, Cannon Place, Hampstead, N.W.; Rev. E. O. Ince, Sunbury House, Watford, Herts; Rev. and Mrs. H. W. Russell, Ashford, Kent; Editor, China Mail, Hongkong; and others.

Terms.—According to requirements. Hongkong, July 28, 1888. 1416

SAILOR'S HOME.

ANY Cast-off Clothing, Books, or Papers will be thankfully received at the Sailor's Home, West Point. Hongkong, July 26, 1885.

Business Notices.

CHRISTMAS CARDS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have Received their First

Parcel of

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR CARDS.

INCLUDING—

NEW DESIGNS IN PRANG'S ARTISTIC PRODUCTIONS.—HAND-PAINTED SATIN, NEW FRONTED, SCOTCH SACHETS, BOOK MATTERS, ALBUMS OF POETRY, FLORES, PRINCES, TABLE SCREENS, and a variety of FUNNY SUBJECTS.

RAPHAEL TUCK'S Great Success

—THE 'ANSIDEI' RAPHAEL.

Also,

A Large Selection of INEXPENSIVE HAND-PAINTED CARDS in numerous pretty designs. The ROBIN SERIES painted on Porcelain and mounted on Elong.

EACH CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR CARD is supplied with a suitable Envelope and Paper protection ready for postage.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, October 23, 1886. 2017

Victoria Hotel,

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE, Proprietors. Hongkong, September 16, 1885. 1612

THE BON MARCHE.

(CHIEF MARK.)

ADJOINING THE STAG HOTEL (NEXT DOOR).

CONSISTING OF A STOCK OF FANCY AND USEFUL ARTICLES, TOBACCOES, CIGARS, BOOKS, NOVELS, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, ALBUMS, KNIVES, CUTLERY, LEATHER GOODS, CLOCKS, and a varied Stock of FANCY GOODS of all kinds.

BON MARCHE, next door to THE STAG HOTEL. Hongkong, September 8, 1886. 1739

KELLY & WAISH, Ltd.

ARE NOW SHOWING THEIR NEW SEASON'S

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CARDS.

A Magnificent Assortment of PRANG'S AMERICAN CARDS, HAND PAINTED CARDS, and a very large Selection of CHEAP CARDS ranging in Price from 5 Cents upwards.

THE SPECIAL NOVELTY OF THIS SEASON

CONSISTS OF A SERIES OF

ORIGINAL WATER COLOUR PANEL SKETCHES, DEPICTING CHINESE LIFE AND CHARACTER, specially Painted for us by ENGLISH ARTISTS.

We are SOLE AGENTS for Mr. Griffith's CHRISTMAS PHOTOGRAPHIC VIEWS of HONGKONG reduced to Cabinet size with PICTURE ENGLISH VESSES, which obtained so large a measure of success last year. A New Set of VIEWS and CHARACTER SKETCHES, with suitable Greetings in English and Chinese, is in active preparation.

KELLY & WAISH, LIMITED, HONGKONG. Hongkong, October 25, 1886. 2027

W. POWELL & Co.

HAVE LANDED THIS DAY

LADIES' TRIMMED AND UNTRIMMED WINTER HATS.

NEW FLOWERS, NEW FEATHERS, &c., &c.

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S

KID GLOVES in Single Pairs.

W. POWELL & Co. Hongkong, October 27, 1886. 2044

ROBERT LANG & Co.

TO Meet the increasing requirements of our Business, we have

leased the SHOP recently occupied by Mr. H. CAMPBELL, Hairdresser, and have opened up communication between it and our Original Premises.

In making this intimation to our Customers, we would also inform them that our NEW AUTUMN STOCK is now being shown, replete in all the latest Styles and Materials, and Purchasers may rely upon obtaining from us, only Goods that are new and in good condition; all Stock that had deteriorated from any cause whatever having been Sold at Auction a few weeks ago, as we do not consider it to our advantage to keep old Stock from year to year.

From our practical knowledge of Tailoring, Shirt-making, and Gentlemen's Outfitting, to which we confine ourselves, we can ensure our Customers careful attention, good value, and punctuality in the fulfilment of orders.

Hongkong, September 16, 1886. 1788

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the Head Office, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES, Secretary. Hongkong, August 25, 1886. 1458

CHAS. J. GAUFF & Co.

Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths.

NAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.

VOYAGERS' CELEBRATED BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES. RIFLES' LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES. ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS. NAUTICAL BOOKS. English Silver & Electro-Plated Ware. Christmas &c. &c. ELECTRO-PLATED WARE. GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY, in great variety.

DIAMONDS

—AND—

DIAMOND JEWELLERY.

A Splendid Collection of the Latest London Patterns, at very moderate prices. 742

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION OF VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on the Spot (Wanchai),

WEDNESDAY,

the 3rd November, 1886, at 3 p.m., on the Spot (Wanchai),

INLAND LOT No. 428,

With SIXTEEN HOUSES erected thereon, bounded on the North by INLAND LOT No. 429 and measuring about 115 feet thereon, on the East by TENA KAI LANE and measuring about 100 feet thereon, on the South by CROSS STREET and measuring about 115 feet thereon, on the East by ALBERT STREET and measuring about 100 feet thereon. Total Area about 11,500 square feet. Annual Crown Rent, \$175.20.

TERMS OF SALE.—20% of the Purchase Money to be paid after fall of the hammer, the Remainder within 14 days of date of Sale, on completion of transfer.

For further Particulars, apply to the AUCTIONEER.

G. R. LAMBERT, Auctioneer. Hongkong, October 21, 1886. 2007

POSTPONEMENT OF SALE.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY,

the 10th November, 1886, at 3 p.m., on the Premises,

REMAINING PORTION OF INLAND LOT No. 124, and SECTIONS C and D of INLAND LOT No. 123.

Situate at the Corner of OLD BAILEY and STATION STREETS, with the BUILDINGS erected thereon, being Nos. 7, 9, 11 and 13 on OLD BAILEY STREET, and Nos. 2 and 4 on STATION STREET. The whole measuring about 15,300 Square Feet. Annual Crown Rent, \$108.82.

TERMS OF SALE.—20 per Cent. of the Purchase Money to be paid after fall of the hammer, the Remainder on transfer being made.

For further Particulars and Conditions, apply to

SHARP, JOHNSON & STOKES, Solicitors for the Vendor; or to G. R. LAMBERT, Auctioneer. Hongkong, October 20, 1886. 2061

SALE OF LAND.

THERE will be SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Ground, on

WEDNESDAY,

the 24th day of November, at 4 o'clock Afternoon,

ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND,

With the MESSUAGES and PREMISES thereon, proposed to be registered in the Land Office as Section 4 of MARINE LOT No. 40, bounded on the South by Queen's Road East and measuring thereon 200' or thereabout, on the East by MARINE LOT No. 42 and measuring thereon 203' or thereabout, and on the North by the Piece or Parcel of Ground intended to be registered in the Land Office as the Remaining Portion of MARINE LOT No. 40 and measuring thereon 203' or thereabout, the entire Area containing 39,542 square feet or thereabout. A Plan of the Property may be inspected, and full Particulars regarding the title and conditions of Sale obtained on application to Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, CHINA SUGAR REFINING Co., Ltd., or

H. N. MODY, Auctioneer. Hongkong, October 28, 1886. 2057

To Let.

TO LET.

FROM the 1st September next, the Commodious PREMISES known as the P. & O. Old Offices, lately in the occupation of the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, will be despatched for the Undersigned.

For further Particulars, apply to the Undersigned.

E. L. WOODIN, Acting Superintendent. Hongkong, August 21, 1886. 1614

TO LET.

ROOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS,' No. 10, HOLLYWOOD ROAD.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, September 28, 1886. 632

TO BE LET.

FROM the 1st of November, THE NEW PREMISES, BANK BUILDINGS, immediately opposite the HONGKONG HOTEL's Main Entrance, on the Ground Floor, Two Handmade Plate-Glass SHOP Frontages each of 40 feet, and on the Second Floor a Suite of 2 large and airy Rooms.

'BREEZY POINT,' ROBINSON ROAD. With Immediate Possession.

GODOWNS at West Point—Large and Small.

Apply to SHARP & Co. 1882

TO LET.

A FIVE-ROOMED HOUSE at the PRINCE OF WALES' GROUND attached.

Good TENNIS GROUND attached.

Apply to DENNIS & MOSSOP. Hongkong, January 28, 1886. 109

Shipping.

Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO.

The Co.'s Steamship *Formosa*, Captain HARRIS, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 4th November.

This Steamer has excellent Passenger Accommodation.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, October 18, 1886. 1986

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship *Bohila*, will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival with the outward English Mail.

E. L. WOODIN, Acting Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, October 28, 1886. 2054

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For Sale.

MacEwen, FRICKEL & Co.
VICTORIA EXCHANGE.

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

H AVE FOR SALE
THE FOLLOWING
STORES.

EX AMERICAN MAIL STEAMER.

Smoked HAMS.

Golden SYRUP in Gallon Tins.

Assorted SYRUPS.

Curtain's Table FRUITS.

ASPARAGUS.

Queen OLIVES.

Sausage MEAT.

CAVIAR.

Potted MEATS.

MAOKEREL in 5lb Tins.

Eagle Brand MILK.

Lamb's TONGUES.

Green CORN.

Baked BEANS.

BROWN.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT

of

COOKING AND PARLOUR

STOVES.

AGATE IRON WARE COOKING

UTENSILS.

WIRE IRONS.

CHARCOAL IRONS.

KEROSENE LAMPS.

NONPAREIL KEROSENE OIL.

WINE, &c.

SPARKLING SAUMUR, Pts. & Qts. @

\$11 and \$12.

CUP CHAMPAGNE, Pts. & Qts. @ \$12

and \$14.

SACONNE'S SHERRY.

SACONNE'S INVALID PORT.

ROYAL GLENDEAL WHISKY.

JAMESON'S WHISKY.

OLD BOURBON WHISKY.

HERBES' CHERRY CORDIAL.

ASSORTED LEQUEURS.

DRAUGHT, ALE and PORTER.

&c., &c., &c.

THE USUAL ASSORTMENT

of

OILMAN'S STORES,

at the

Lowest Possible Prices

FOR CASH.

MacEwen, FRICKEL & Co.

Hongkong, July 1, 1886. 1268

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s

CHAMPAGNE,

Quarts—\$20 per Case of 1 doz.

Pints—\$21 " " 2 "

Dubos Freres & Co. Giron & Co.'s

BORDEAUX CLARETS and

WHITE WINES.

Baxton's Celebrated "Barley Bree"

WHISKY, \$7½ per Case of 1 doz.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, July 18, 1884. 1187

Insurances.

STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.

NEW ASSURANCES.

FROM 1850 to 1855... 23,432,938.

" 1855 " 1860... 2,815,458.

" 1860 " 1865... 8,834,365.

" 1865 " 1870... 5,713,813.

" 1870 " 1875... 6,048,364.

" 1875 " 1880... 6,133,186.

Since 1880 there is a still further in-

crease.

The Total existing Assurances exceed

\$21,000,000 with upwards of Eleven Mil-

lions Sterling have already been paid in

DRAFT CLAIMS.

PREMIUMS IN CHINA

EXCEPTIONALLY MODERATE.

For full Particulars, apply to

THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED,

Agents.

Hongkong, June 1, 1886. 1075

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER

In His Majesty King George The First,

A. D. 1720.

The Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Corporation are

prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—

Marine Department.

Policies at current rates, payable either

here, in London, or at the principal Ports

of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.

Policies issued for long or short periods at

Notices to Consignees.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Nido*, Captain PRAET,

having arrived from the above Ports,

Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed

that their Goods are being landed and stored

at their risk into the Godowns of the

Undersigned, whence and/or from the

Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded un-

less notice to the contrary be given before

1 p.m. To-day, the 27th Instant.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the

3rd November will be subject to rent.

No Claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left our Godowns.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

SIEMSEN & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, October 27, 1886. 2043

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. *Tasung*, having ar-

rived from the above Ports, Consignees

of Cargo by her are hereby informed that

their Goods including Saltpetre are being

landed at their risk into Messrs. JARDINE,

MATHESON & Co.'s Godowns, West Point,

whence delivery may be obtained.

All Claims must be made immediately, as

none will be entertained after the 2nd

November.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the

2nd November will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, October 25, 1886. 2025

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. *Gleam* having arrived

from the above Ports, Consignees of

Cargo by her are hereby informed that

their Goods, with the exception of Opium,

are being landed at their risk into the

Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or

from the Wharves or Boats delivery may

be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the contrary be given before 2 p.m.

To-day, the 28th Instant.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the

5th November will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, October 28, 1886. 2050

To-day's Advertisements.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship

Titan,

Captain Brown, will be

despatched as above on

MONDAY, the 1st November, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, October 30, 1886. 2066

THE GIBB LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR KOBE AND NAGASAKI.

(Calling at YOKOHAMA if inducement

offers.)

The Departure of the

British Steamer

Rohampton,

Captain Sanderson, for

the above Ports, is unavoidably POST-

PONED until MONDAY, the 1st Nov., at

5 p.m.

The Steamer will load for Colonies from

JAPAN, leaving Kobe about the middle of

next month.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Managers.

Hongkong, October 30, 1886. 2067

PUBLIC AUCTION.

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niger, having arrived from the above

Port, Consignees of Cargo are hereby in-

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MELOHRS & Co.,

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Hongkong, October 30, 1886. 2005

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Owners will be Responsible for

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Crew of the following Vessels, during

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SARAH HIGGINS, American ship, Capt. A. Morgan—Ed. Schellhaus & Co.

WM. McGUIVER, American ship, Capt. N. Dunbar—Adams, Bell & Co.

STATE OF MAINE, American ship, Captain E. D. P. Nickels—P. & O. S. N. Co.

SHIPPING

ARRIVALS.

October 29, 1886.

Nürnberg, German steamer, 2,159, Ph. Berdrow, Shanghai October 27 (11 a.m.).

Mails and General—MELOHRS & Co.

October 30—

Volga, French steamer, 885, du Temple, Yokohama October 28, and Kobe 25, Mails and General—Messageries Maritimes.*Falkenberg*, German steamer, from Whampoa.*Elisa*, German steamer, 552, Ch. Kuscher, Pakhoi Oct. 27, and Hoibow 28, General—WIELER & Co.*Alutia*, German steamer, 400, P. Moss, Pakhoi Oct. 27, and Hoibow 28, General—WIELER & Co.*Fokien*, British ship, 509, J. S. Wyllie, Tamsui October 27, Amoy 28, and Swatow 29, General—DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO.*Atholl*, British steamer, 923, W. Coulter, Swatow October 29, General—BEN HIN CHAN.*Felditi*, German steamer, 852, H. Brock, Amoy and Swatow October 29, General—WIELER & Co.*Electra*, German steamer, 1,182, L. Madson, Hamburg and Singapore October 29, General—SIEMSEN & Co.*Djemah*, French steamer, 3,756, H. Macé, Shanghai October 29, Mails and General—Messageries Maritimes.*Changsha*, British steamer, 1,463, J. E. Freeland, Glasgow September 10, and Singapore October 12, General—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.*Whampoa*, British steamer, 1,109, G. Hunt, Sydney September 30, General—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.*Ching-wo*, British steamer, 1,230, Mac. Hugh, Amoy October 29, General—AUSOLD, KARRER & Co.

DEPARTURES.

October 30—

Iduna, for Haiphong.*Amo*, for Hoibow and Pakhoi.*Freya*, for Haiphong.*Gleam*, for Shanghai.*Widow*, for Mantung.*Bellerophon*, for Amoy and Shanghai.*Nido*, for Shanghai.*Yokohama*, for Yokohama.*Diamond*, for Amoy and Manila.*Bantam*, for Saigon.

CLEARED.

Zouave, for Havre and London.*Ono-chu-foo*, for Swatow.*Antoinette*, for Victoria.*Atholl*, for Singapore and Penang.*Yokohama*, for Yokohama.*Formosa*, for Coast Ports.*Nanshan*, for Swatow.*Soochow*, for Hoibow and Pakhoi.*Falkenberg*, for Wuhu.*Felditi*, for Singapore.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

Per *Nürnberg*, for Shanghai, Mr. P. Nau-

bauer, Miss Wobken, Mr. Schulz, and

Miss Campbell, 2 children and servant, Miss

Sporer, Mrs. Kluth and 2 children, Mrs.

Buschendorff, child and servant, Mr. Stoll-

man, Mr. and Mrs. Bistritzky, Mr. Keimer,

Mrs. Döhl, Messrs. Seip and Steussner, and

60 Chinese.

Per *Atholl*, from Swatow, 671 Chinese.

The following sensational paragraph appears in the *San Francisco Bulletin* of the 29th September last:-

"While the cargo of the *Zoro* was in course of discharge at Victoria, B.C., two chests were broken and rejected by the consignees. After the cargo was loaded on the cars, some one looked into one of the chests and found the supposed contents of tea to be valuable curios and silk goods, on which is a heavy duty. The whole cargo was seized. It is valued at \$250,000, and belongs to Frazar & Co. of New York."

Commenting on the above, the *Japan Gazette* of the 22nd instant says:-
This is a ridiculous story, for on examining the manifest of the vessel we find that 83 cases and 4 chests, shipped by a well-known firm in Kobe, were declared to contain curios, and the remainder of the cargo consisted of large parcels of tea shipped by regular Yokohama consignees. Several public crates in the statement also appear. It is said that the vessel was discharged at Victoria, B.C., whereas she unloaded at Port Moody. It also mentions that two chests were broken and rejected by the consignees. This is certainly an error, as the consignees reside in Canada. The next suspicious statement is that "after the cargo was loaded on the cars, some one looked into one of the chests." To do this he must have had the assistance of a crew-bar or some such instrument, of which no mention is made; and the concluding statement that the cargo belongs to Messrs. Frazar & Co. of New York is known to be false, as they had no interest whatever in it, having acted simply as agents of the Canadian-Pacific railway, to whom the ship was consigned."

'FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR.

That the chief subject matter for discussion during the week is a sad contradiction to the title of 'Fragrant Waters,' and that the expression used by one of your correspondents, 'this beautiful but nevertheless stinking Colony,' rather shocked me, because it is doubtless as true as it is inelegant and forcible. That, after the unusual heat during this month, the change of late night to a lower temperature came as a welcome relief. That with this change in the weather it is fervently to be hoped that the Fever Epidemic—for it is little short of this—will speedily pass away. That, notwithstanding this hope, the disagreeable condition of the drainage and the frightfully dangerous state of the rooking soil must speedily be remedied, if the Colony is to maintain its place as a habitable town.

That the Sanitary Board is not deserving of so much censure as it is now receiving, as its recommendations are regarded as mere suggestions, to be followed or not as deemed desirable.

That the Chairman (the Hon. J. M. Price) is the Surveyor General, head of the Sanitary Department, a member of the Legislative Council, and a powerful member of the Executive Council, and that the Government are therefore much more responsible than the members of the Sanitary Board, or even the junior members of the Sanitary Department.

That the meetings of the Sanitary Board have hitherto been little else than mere matters of form.

That Mr. Price will have achieved fame enough by the Big Dam, the Long Conduit and the Groat Bore, and should meanwhile drop his ambition to carry out the Chadwick scheme, while he takes temporary measures to lessen existing insanitary dangers. That the representatives of the Press should be admitted to the meetings of the Sanitary Board; and that, failing information or reform, a public meeting should be convened by our leading man without delay.

That I hear the authorities have been pressed to try the effects of a drain-flushing by means of the Fire Brigade Engines, but that such action should be supplemented by the erection of ventilating shafts up the Hill.

That that dreadful Dredger is again at work where it is least required, and that, as it seems to lack a name and number, it should be called 'The White Elephant.'

That the dredging on the Praya East was not a great success.

That this was due in a great measure to the fact that the overboard in charge, as I am told, was instructed not to go within 20 or 30 feet of the Praya wall foundations.

That it is within this distance that all the real troubles lie.

That with such smells as those on the fore-shore, such odours on shore, and the chances of malarial exhalations from the silt and uncovered ground all around, sickness aboard and ashore must be expected.

That, in spite of all this, and notwithstanding that kidnapped men lose their heads at Kowloon even while negotiations are proceeding about them, house-building has become the order of the day, and it is alleged that property is rising in value.

That, speaking of building, I may here note that the work on the Conduit might be greatly accelerated, especially under present circumstances.

That the Wanchai Gap reservoir is unquestionably another feather in the cap of the proclama Mr. J. M. Price.

That Wanchai residents will probably be supplied with water from this source months before the great scheme is completed.

That the Ship Street drain which runs into the fore-shore is simply awful at certain stages of the tide.

That landing at the Blue Building-Wharf is a risk which the Public Works Department would do well to reduce—say by half, which is about the number of the steps lost or rotted.

That the Praya East, between the MacGregor Barracks and Ship Street, is per-

haps the worst piece of roadway between the Harbour-Master's Office and Quarry Bay Works.

That there is a manifest improvement in the state of the Praya side-walks from the Pedder's Wharf to the P. & O. Office, but that further west there is still room for improvement.

That, speaking of drain-flushing, I would remind my brother scribblers of the enormous type, who are complaining (as I am) of 'vile smells' from sewers, to remember that the local Government does not and cannot regulate the rain-torrents, though I daresay it often wishes it could.

That universal regret is expressed at the coming departure of Mrs. Marsh.

That there are rumours in the air about the new occupant of Government House, and his Colonial Secretary, but that they are only rumours.

That Hongkong would welcome a man of energy and resolution, who would proclaim a sensible policy and see that the Heads of departments carried it out. That Mr. Marsh has made an excellent *locum tenens*, and that he could not have been expected to inaugurate a new order of things, however much he may have wished to do so.

That the high-handed proceedings of the Chinese in these waters are getting rapidly beyond diplomatic bounds.

That the fate of *Oo Ahung*, the man who was carried off from our Harbour, while his case is pending, must be made a matter for serious representation; and that the revenue cruisers are just going a little too far when they desert a junk full of dead and dying men.

That I am afraid that this blockade trouble will become more troublesome still, unless some stronger hand is made than at present against the present Viceroy at Canton, whose disregard of international conventions is now notorious.

That the Germans seem to be inclined to insist on their vessels being allowed to go to Canton itself.

That the Viceroy's Barriers in the old channels may be the means of giving us a new channel, as the water is sure to make a way for itself, and there are whispers already that the depth on the Salt-flats has considerably increased.

That with all the Steam Laundry's faults—and they were numerous, both of commission and omission—it is to be hoped, in the interests of 'pure washing,' that some means will be found for continuing the working of the establishment.

That I question very much if either one Laundry Company or the other ever went the right way about to retain the good-will of that portion of the public whose washing they had secured.

That indifferent washing, constant loss of articles, a weekly delivery only to residents (in contrast to rapid exchange delivery to shipping), and a general inattention on the part of the Portuguese collectors, were not the means whereby to secure a greater share of public patronage.

That, at the same time, it will be a pity if residents have to fall back upon Chinese hobbies only, and this probably at enhanced prices.

That the German Mail bids fair to prove a nuisance to many residents.

That it wasted little when it left this the day after the French Mail, and that day a Wednesday or Saturday; but to now leave a day before the French Mail, and that day a Monday, may mean all the difference, unless the German Mail for the Germans be the only recognition of it on the part of the general community.

That if the supremacy of the Germans in China is to be attained by Sunday work, they are welcome to it for all the good it will do them, or their constitutions.

That Sunday occupation may yet be found for the Exchange Broker in disposing of 'Bills on Berlin' or 'Drafts on the Blue Danube'; and for the Stockbroker, in negotiating sales of the shares in the 'Flensburger Dampfschiffahrts Gesellschaft' or the 'Deutscher Dampfschiffahrts Rhederei.'

That already too much advantage is taken of the freedom of this port, and an amount of shipping work is done here on a Sunday that is a disgrace to a British Colony.

That it is gratifying to learn that Mr. 'Make no Change in Me' of a few years ago is still 'The Same Man,' but if during the interval he has adhered strictly to Chinese washmen, it is reasonable to suppose him in possession of a wardrobe that the unfortunate supporters of the Steam Laundry are strangers to.

That as a man in possession of a wardrobe he has happily come safely through the risks of this disease and other little unpleasantnesses attached to native laundries.

That the Hongkong 'water helpees' seem to have secured a fair share of the laurels at the Shanghai Regatta.

That the sender of the hearing telegram from Swatow has set residents to work to find out where the joke comes in, and that it needed not such freaks to show that the team was on a festive trip.

That the offering for to-morrow's festival services in the Cathedral, corresponding to the Harvest Thanksgiving (i) celebrated at Home, might be devoted to alleviating in some measure the distress consequent on the partial failure of the rice crops round Canton.

That it is right to give thanks for such blessings of life and health as one may publicly or individually feel, but to have a special thanksgiving service here for an abundant harvest of weeds on a barren island, or for a partial failure of the rice crops of our nearest neighbours, seems to border on the superfluous.

BROWNIE.

CRICKET MATCH.

FEEDLES v. DUFFERS.

A match was begun this afternoon between two twelvees styling themselves respectively 'Feedles' and 'Duffers.' Three of the 'Feedles' proved to be pretty strong batsmen, one, Dr Martin, making the considerable score of 68, while Grace and Dickson had both double figures. The 'Duffers' seemed anxious to justify their self-chosen title, for all, with the exception of Montgomery were unable to guard their wickets for any space of time. The 'Feedles' came off victors by an innings and 70 runs.

The following are the scores:—

FEEDLES (1st Innings)		DUFFERS	
Dr Martin	68	Dr Martin	0
Grace	68	Grace	0
Dickson	68	Dickson	0
Montgomery	68	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	68	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	68	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	68	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	68	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	68	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	68	W. H. Dick	0

DUFFERS (1st Innings)		FEEDLES	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

FEEDLES (2nd Innings)		DUFFERS	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

DUFFERS (2nd Innings)		FEEDLES	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

FEEDLES (3rd Innings)		DUFFERS	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

DUFFERS (3rd Innings)		FEEDLES	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

FEEDLES (4th Innings)		DUFFERS	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

DUFFERS (4th Innings)		FEEDLES	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

FEEDLES (5th Innings)		DUFFERS	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

DUFFERS (5th Innings)		FEEDLES	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

FEEDLES (6th Innings)		DUFFERS	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

DUFFERS (6th Innings)		FEEDLES	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

FEEDLES (7th Innings)		DUFFERS	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

DUFFERS (7th Innings)		FEEDLES	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

FEEDLES (8th Innings)		DUFFERS	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

DUFFERS (8th Innings)		FEEDLES	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

FEEDLES (9th Innings)		DUFFERS	
Dr Martin	0	Dr Martin	0
Grace	0	Grace	0
Dickson	0	Dickson	0
Montgomery	0	Montgomery	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0
W. H. Dick	0	W. H. Dick	0

proceedings terminated.

THE CITY HALL.
MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS AND
SUBSCRIBERS.
The annual meeting of the shareholders of the City of New York, held at the City Hall, on the 1st of January, 1881, at 10 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of electing officers and directors for the ensuing year, and of transacting such other business as might come before them.

LONG SLEEPERS.

(London 'Daily News'.)
A few days ago, one Eudoxie Houdouin, a woman 51 years of age, woke up in the Salpêtrière Hospital in Paris after enjoying a profound and prolonged sleep of 18 days' duration. It seems that this patient, in whom a large amount of public interest has naturally been excited, exhibited as a child certain peculiarities of the nervous system which increased some such condition as she has lately shown. As a child, she remembers laughing and crying without knowing the cause; and when she was 2 years of age she first entered the Salpêtrière to be treated for paralysis, of which ailment she is still subject. The present, however, is not the first long sleep. Madame Houdouin had been, in fact, in a state of somnolence about the 7th May, 1875, she fell into a state of rest. In this state her face was calm, and the eyes were frequently to be seen partially uncovered by their lids. From this state of a somnolence she was suddenly awakened about the 27th May and on the succeeding day. But nature was apparently preparing for greater and more startling things in the way of rest. On the 12th May, 1875, Eudoxie went off to bed in the 'Land of Nod.' Then began a sleep from which she did not awake till the 27th day of that month. On the 28th May she took a full meal, laughed violently, and then became morose. Such is the physician's report of her case, and the latter remark is interesting in this way, as proving that serious disturbance of the nervous system did really exist and might be held responsible for the protracted rest of the patient. We have no details of Eudoxie Houdouin's history between May, 1875, and January, 1886. But in the last-named and succeeding months this woman slept during fifty days. Then comes the sleep of eight days from which she has just woken up. It is more than probable that this tendency to somnolence will continue, for medical experience proves tolerably conclusive in its assertion that such cases are given to repeat their peculiarities of behavior. That the sleep of Eudoxie Houdouin, however, borders on the condition known familiarly as hysteria, and that it is to be regarded rather as a condition simulating sleep than as the true and voluntary rest of brain and body, is shown by an interesting experiment made by Dr. Voisin, who is in charge of the case at the Salpêtrière. During her last attack of sleep, Dr. Voisin enclosed in a piece of paper a drug capable of causing vomiting, and placed this on the skin without saying anything to the patient of his doing. As might be expected, no result followed this procedure. The drug being removed, Dr. Voisin folded a piece of paper, perfectly empty, and placed it on the patient's skin, remarking at the same time aloud, and in the patient's hearing, that 'she should vomit.' The result was that she vomited, and the latter result happened. Eudoxie it was clear, whatever her condition as to sleep, actually heard what the physician had said. The fixed idea produced by Dr. Voisin's words had its effect. The case resembles that of the person who, under the influence of a hypnotic power, under the idea that the fluid is morphia, and falls into a profound state, as if he had actually taken an opiate.

There are other elements in the case at the Salpêtrière Hospital proving that the case belongs to a large class of cases, the group of hysterical cases which show how the brain may induce the appearance and condition of sleep or rest, while at the same time it allows activity in certain of its parts or centres. Dreaming and sleep-walking illustrate this duplex action of the brain in a few curious phases than in any other. Eudoxie Houdouin is not an all practical purpose may indeed be regarded as existing in a state of natural mesmerism. One proof of this statement is found in Dr. Voisin's experiment of giving her an empty glass, which she was told contained a glass of brandy, and she drank it greedily from the spooned liquor. Similarly, a piece of aloes was given her in place of sugar, and when eaten provoked, we are told, 'only a slight grimace.' Here there is evidently a confused state of the senses, such as is mesmeric, and which is not a true sleep, but a state of the mind in which the subjects readily extend and drink the bitter substances and fluids under the impressed idea that they are of sweet and pleasant character. But allied to the Salpêtrière cases is that of true trance, or prolonged sleep, in which all the mental faculties are utterly dulled. There was such a case treated not so very long ago in a Glasgow hospital, where the patient slept on soundly, and apparently in a condition of trance, for weeks. If we search among the records of our learned societies we may find numerous cases of like kind. Take, for example, that of one Mary Lyle, which is related in the 8th volume of the 'Transactions of the Royal Society of Edinburgh.' Here the patient falls asleep in the morning of the 27th June and remains bound in the chains of somnolence until the evening of the 30th June. Then comes a period of ordinary life and activity. When the 1st July dawned, Mary Lyle went off again into her slumbers, and remained impervious to the things of ordinary existence until the 8th August. In the days of which we are speaking medical treatment was of a certain rough and ready order. For we read of Mary Lyle being bled and blistered and bathed, by way of arousing her, but all to no avail. After seven days of her sleep, she began to make signs that she desired food. But the power of her fouring was absent, and did not return till four days before her full recovery. Her right hand and arm were said to have been somewhat paralysed and insensible to touch. When she did awake she alleged that she had no knowledge of anything which had happened in her sleep. She had not been conscious of taking food, and she remembered no recollection of having been blistered or bled. In 1788, one Elizabeth Perkins fell into a profound slumber, and remained in this state for at least twelve days, 'when she awoke of her own accord,' adds the account, 'to the great joy of her relatives and wonder of the neighborhood.' Mrs. Perkins is then stated to have gone about her ordinary business; but in a week the sleep-attack supervened, and she again lay for some days in deep slumber. There occurred intervals of wakefulness between periods of sleep for some months, but the patient in this case died after a comparatively short experience of the unnatural state. Another case is that of a patient at Kirkcaldy, who for a period of twelve months was seldom awake for more than three hours out of the twenty-four. The 'Lady of Nimes' is also a well-known instance of prolonged somnolence, and it is reported in the 'Mémoires de l'Académie de Médecine' for the year 1777. This personage suffered from attacks of sleep, which occurred periodically at sunrise and about noon. The sunrise attack endured usually till within a short time of the occurrence of the noon attack. The latter lasted till seven or eight in the evening. It is satisfactory, however, to note that this lady remained awake till the sunrise, so that she appears simply to have reversed the ordinary order of things in respect of the period of sleep, and to have imitated the bats and the owls in respect of her nocturnal wakefulness. The most curious fact, perhaps, which is related in connection with this case is found in the statement that the first or morning sleep invariably took place at day-

break. No matter at what period of the morning daybreak happened, the lady of Nimes fell asleep in steady harmony with the dawn. There was a more extraordinary case still, reported accurately by a Dr. Cheyne towards the close of last century—that of a Colonel Townshend. This gentleman visited Bath to drink the waters, and informed Dr. Cheyne and other physicians that he could counteract tooth-ache at will. The Colonel readily consented to make the experiment; and so, with three doctors in attendance, he laid himself on a couch. His pulse grew thready and small, and he finally stopped. But the pulse began to revive, the breathing became established, and soon the Colonel sat up and conversed. The sequel to this narrative is curious enough in its way. Colonel Townshend died shortly afterwards at Bath, but his body was found to be free from any traces of disease or other condition such as might explain the power he possessed over his heart and lungs. The recital of such cases only adds another phase to the list of curious anomalies life may exhibit. It was Sanecho Pariza, of immortal fame, who cried 'God bless the man who first invented sleep.' But it would appear that even the worthy acquire of 'ingenious gentlemen' might have discovered that it is possible to have too much of a good thing after all.

A WOMAN'S SUFFERING AND GRATITUDE.

A lady writes to the AUSTRIA.
Near the village of Zillingdorf, in Lower Austria, lives Maria Haas, an intelligent and industrious woman, whose story of physical suffering and final relief, as related by herself, is of interest to English women. 'I was employed,' she says, 'in the work of a large farmhouse. Overwork brought on sick headache, followed by a deadly fainting and sickness of the stomach, until I was unable to retain either food or drink. I was compelled to take to my bed for several weeks. Getting a little better from rest and quiet, I sought to do some work, but was soon taken with a pain in my side, which a little while seemed to spread over my whole body, and throbbled in my every limb. This was followed by a cough and shortness of breath, until finally I could not sew, and I took to my bed for the second time, and as I thought, for the last time. My friends told me that my time had nearly come, and that I could not live longer than when the trees put on their green once more. Then I happened to get one of the Seigel's Symples. I read it, and my dear mother told me to try it. I took exactly according to directions, and I had not taken the whole of it before I felt a great change for the better. My last illness began on June 3rd, 1882, and continued to August 9th, when I began to take the Symp. Very soon I could do a little light work. The cough left me, and I was no more troubled in breathing. Now I am perfectly cured. And oh, how happy I am! I cannot express gratitude enough for Seigel's Symp. Now I must tell you that the doctors in our district distributed handbills extolling people against the medicine, telling them it would do them no good, and many were thereby influenced to destroy the Seigel's pamphlets; but now, whenever one is to be found, it is kept like a relic. The few preserved are borrowed to read, and I have lent mine for six miles around our district. People have come eighteen miles to get me to buy the medicine for them, knowing that it cured me, and to be sure to get the right kind. I know a woman who was looking like death, and who told them there was no help for her; that she had consulted several doctors, but could not help her. I told her of Seigel's Symp., and wrote the name down for her that she might make no mistake. She took my advice and the Symp., and now she is in perfect health, and the people around us are amazed. The medicine has made such progress in our neighborhood that people say they don't want the doctor any more, but they take the Symp. Sufferers from goat who were confined to their bed and could hardly move a finger, have been cured by it. There is a girl in our district who caught a cold by going through some water, and was laid low for weeks with catarrhs and rheumatic pains, and had to have an attendant to watch by her. There was not a doctor in the surrounding districts to whom her mother had not applied to relieve her child, but every one crossed themselves and said they could not help her. When the little girl had the Symp. it was rung in our place when somebody is dead, we thought surely it was for her, but Seigel's Symp. and Pills saved her life, and now she is as healthy as anybody, goes to church, and can work even in the fields. Everybody was astonished when they saw her, and knowing how many years she had been in bed. To-day she adds her gratitude to mine for God's mercies and Seigel's Symp.'

MARIA HAAS.

The people of England speak confirming the above.

AFTER MANY YEARS.

'Whittle-woods, near Chorley, December 26th, 1883.
'Dear Sir,—Mother Seigel's medicine sells exceedingly well with us, all that try it speak highly in its favor. We had a case of a young lady that had been troubled many years with pains after eating. She tells us that the pains were entirely taken away after a few doses of your medicine.—Yours truly,
'E. Peel.'

AFTER SEVERAL YEARS.

'Stoke Ferry, January 9th, 1884.
'Gentlemen,—I have used Seigel's Symp. for several years, and have found it a most efficacious remedy for Liver complaints and general debility, and I always keep some by me, and cannot speak too highly in its praise.—I remain, yours truly,
'Harriett King.'

AFTER SIXTEEN YEARS.

'55, Newgate Street, Workop, Notts, December 26th, 1883.
'Gentlemen,—It is with the greatest pleasure I record my testimony as to the efficacy of Mother Seigel's Symp. My wife, who has suffered from acute Dyspepsia for over sixteen years, is now perfectly better through the sole help of your Symp. I have spent pounds in medicines from doctors—in fact, I began to think she was incurable, until your marvellous medicine was tried.—I remain, yours, thankfully,
'Alfred Ford.'

THE EFFORTS HAVE BEEN WORTHFUL.

'Iford Road Dispensary, Dorking, Surrey, May 3rd, 1884.
'Dear Sir,—I am happy to inform you that the sale of your Symp. and Pills increases here continually. Several of my customers speak of having derived more benefit from the use of these than from any other medicine. In some instances the effects have been wonderful.—Yours very respectfully,
'Pro. Edwin Eastwood, J. E.'

Intimations.

Chinese Imperial Government Eight Per Cent. Loan of 1881.

SEVENTH DRAWING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in conformity with the stipulation contained in the Bonds of this Loan, the following Numbers of Bonds to be paid off at Par, at the Office of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, in Hongkong, on the 28th day of October, 1886, when the Interest thereon will cease to be payable, were this day Drawn at the Office of the said Corporation in Hongkong, in the presence of HERBERT MAURICE BEVIS, Esquire, Chief Accountant of the said Corporation, and of the undersigned Notary.

NUMBERS OF BONDS DRAWN.

1,096 Bonds, Nos.:-									
0	888	1761	2643	3523	4407	5281	6168	7043	7922
16	893	1771	2656	3529	4414	5290	6175	7049	7929
20	901	1777	2661	3539	4421	5298	6184	7053	7938
32	911	1786	2672	3547	4428	5305	6188	7065	7945
38	920	1794	2678	3553	4439	5313	6199	7074	7954
48	928	1802	2683	3561	4447	5321	6207	7083	7962
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